## COMMERCIAL.

Monetary. Monetary affairs for the week remain in statu money plentiful, and the demand moderate, we have just the reverse to note. The demand here is very active, and the supply light. First class tation business in Louisiana. The partner is Equestrian Statue of Washington was elevapaper goes on the street at 1@11 per cent. per month, while other descriptions of paper are with difficulty negotiated at higher rates. Eastern exchange is more abundant, but we have no change to note in the rates. We quote drafts on New York at 3631; on Philadelphia at 216 protest against the Long Bridge over the Po- the top of the Monument. This morning the 3. and on Baltimore at 2@21.

The Stock market is inactive, and transactions have been to a very limited extent. We the subject, and are in favor of continuing Dimmeck, the superintendent of the elevaquote Virginia 6's at the New York stock board, the Bridge upon its present site, for the genat 93. In local stocks rates are nominal.

Land Warrants are in active demand, and have advanced 4 cents & acre. We quote 40 a petition to Congress, through our Repreacres at 90@95; 80's, 86@88; 120's, 77@80; 160's sentative, praying Congress to repair and

PRICES OF PRODUCE IN ALEXANDRIA. FROM CARS, VESSELS, AND WAGONS, (YESTERDAY.) WHEAT, white ...... 1 04 @ 1 08 red...... 1 00 @ Cons, new (white)...... 0 55 @ 0 57

Corn, old (white.)...... 55 @ 0 00 Corn, (yellow)...... 0 00 @ 0 00 CORN MEAL, \* bushel ...... 0 50 @ 0 55 OATS...... 0 33 @ 0 00 **Втк......0 60 @ 0 00** CLOVER SEED, (retail)...... 6 50 @ FLATSKED...... 1 00 @ 1 125 Salt, fine...... 1 70 @ 1 874 Do Ground Alum...... 1 00 @ 1 10 Всттка, гол, р 16...... 0 18 @ 0 22

PORK. 6 00 6 50 Lard, (in kegs) 0 093 6 0 10 WHITE BEANS ...... 1 00 @ 0 00 HAY, (\* 100 lbs.)...... 624 @ 0 75 FLOUR.-The market during the week has been unusually inactive. The receipts have nominal, the small sales to the city trade scarce-

ly justifying reliable quotations. WHEAT.-The market this week opened dull, but closed with more activity and an advancing tendency in prices. The quality of the Wheat offered on Change yesterday, was generally inferior but the quantity was greater than for several days. There were sales of white at 104, 106, and 108c., and red at 75@90c, for very inferior, 100@104c. for fair, and 106c. for better qualities.

CORN .- The market closed firm, though we have no actual advance to note in prices. Buyers vesterday offered 55c. for new white, which lers refusing to concede.

RYE .- The market has been very dull, with light offerings and limited sales. Quotations OATS are in moderate request, with light re-

ceipts. Sales from store, yesterday, of 500 bushels, at 33c

PORK .- The supply is equal to the demand, and prices remain unchanged. Sales of dressed Hogs at \$6@\$6 50.

MISCELLANEOUS .- Seeds are inactive .-Plaster is in fair supply and moderate demand. Provisions generally are dull, and sales small.

# New York Markets.

generally firm; sales of 6,000 bbls.; State \$4.25 counselled and prayed with her, in the exercise @\$4.30; Ohio \$4,75@\$4.90; Southern \$4.50@ and said, "Mr. Johnston, Mr. Johnston, you are \$4.95. Wheat is advancing; sales of 12,000 her pastor; comfort her, pray for her! bush.; Southern white 1.20@1 38c; Milwaukie turning her eyes to the object of all this love. Club 1.05@1.06c. Corn is drooping; sales of 5,000 bushels, with a general decline of 1@2c. ed to behold on earth, as the shades of death Pork is steady; mess \$14.60@\$14.75. Beef is came on and quenched her sight quiet; Western repacked \$9.75@\$12. Lard is firm at 83 20 c. Whiskey is quiet, at 21 c. for When a friend once expressed the hope that Ohio. Stocks are higher generally. Cumber- God might spare her yet for some time, her an land Coal Co. 144. Virginia 6's 93. Missouri swer was, "His will be done cither way; but I

Baltimore Cattle Market, January 21. CATTLE .- Beef Cattle were in rather better supply to-day than on last market day, some 575 head being offered at the scales. Of this num-ber, 475 head were taken up by Baltimore butchers, at prices ranging from \$3 to \$5 on the hoof, equal to \$ @\$9 nett, and averaging \$4 gross, and the remaining 100 head were left over ansold. The average price is the same as the Jesus, blessed Saviour! Oh, wonderous love! at both lower and higher rates.

Hoss.-The supply of Hogs to-day was light, only about 1,000 head being in the pens. The educed supply, and the continued Southern de-

them as rauging from \$3.75 to \$5 per 100 lbs. gross. Prime lots might possibly bring \$5.25

New York Cattle Market, January 20. Beeves.—Offerings 2500 head; sales to-day at and healthy infant, and though she continued for \$7.50 d \$10 25 p 100 lbs. Prices declined about c p lb Sheep .- Offerings to-day 7900 head; sales of first quality at \$4.00@\$0.50. Swine .-Offerings to-day 1500 head; sales at \$4.37 1@ \$5.-0 p 100 fbs.

The Baltimore Sun of Friday says -"The The preparations for resumption by our banks go steadily on, and do not materially affect the market. Some of the banks, it is understood, are rather anxious for a speedy resumption, and only await the development of wood, the residence of her relative. ment simultaneous, and one of ease to all. We shall not be surprised to see the thing come William county, Va. about without any formality of announcement. The anticipation of this step has suddenly affected the foreign currency in our midst Virginia money, which has been ruling at 13@2 per cent. discount, was vesterday as much as 2103. As Baltimore comes back to the specie basis, of course the points beyond her again must suffer by the contrast, where their banks remain in a state of suspension. Exchange on the North | year of her age.

remains as yet at ‡ to 1 per cent. premium." WORDS' POCKET ALMANAC FOR S 1858, for sale by JAMES ENTWISLE & SON,

No 95, King-street. NTAMPED SLIPPER PATTERNS-A supply, just received per Express, and for sale by C. C. BERRY, No. 72, King-street

T ADIES' CLOAKS .-- We have on hand, a also, a lot of French Worked Sleeves and Collars, which will be sold low.

J. F. & L. A. LARKIN. No. 64, King-street. A LEXANDRIA CITY six per cent. Stock,
Registered and Coupon, for sale by
dec 30—tt CORSE BROTHERS.

THEREAL OIL AND ALCOHOL, for sale by PEEL, STEVENS & CO., dec 31 corner of King and Alfred sts.

Senator Douglas a Louisiana Planter. The Vicksburg True S utherner, states that Senator Douglas has disposed of his While our Eastern cotemporaries report plantation in Mississippi. The slaves of the plantation will be transferred to Louisiana. A partnership has been formed with a gentleman of New Orleans to carry on the planing after a place to locate the force--which is numbered at a hundred hands.

COMMUNICATED. tomac, I would respectfully suggest that those of our citizens who take an interest in eral accommodation of the public, and not for the purposes of a Railroad, should send bilant shouts of the bystanders. Fairfax, and Alexandria County, were numerously signed several months ago. I believe all the citizens of this place, are willing and many of them desirous, to have the Bridge where it is, kept up-and Congress cannot do more, at this session, at least, than order an appropriation for repairing and preserving the present bridge. CAMERON.

MARRIED. In Washington, on the 20th inst., by the Rev. B. A. Maguire, BENJAMIN SMITH, esq., of Louisville, Ky., to Miss KATE, daughter of T. O'Donnoghue, esq., of Georgetown, D. C. In Washington, on the 21st inst, by Rev. T.

ington, D. C. In Washington, on the 20th instant, by Rev. J.

C. Granbury, WM. FERGUSON, of Pennsylva-nia, to MARY F., eldest daughter of J. F. Divine, esq., of Virginia. In Plymouth, N. C., on the 24th of December, by the Rev. A. Watson, ALEXANDER DIXON, of Edenton. N. C., formerly of Fau-

## former place.

OBITUARY. Miss JULIA MANDEVILLE, who departed this life, at the house of her much respected sister, in this city, on the 30th of December. was a Christian of no ordinary character. She been light, and the demand very limited, espe- had been for years in the school in which cially for shipping. Prices have been almost so many of the most eminent of Christ's servants are trained,-the school of affliction -Through a long course of bodily suffering, she had been taught to look for the rest,-the endur ing rest of heaven, and yet at the same time to "wait," in meek submission, to her heavenly Father's will, "all the days of her appointed time till her change should come." It was truly elevating and quickening to the spirit of any friend who might witness it, to see how she maintained to the last, and all through the trial, a most Christian-like sweetness of temper, an entire torgetfulness of self, and an unmurmuring,even a cheerful resignation to the Divine will. The slightest alleviation of pain was received and the mode of conveyance. with more thankfulness than thousands receive the greatest positive blessings. Though racked with agony at times, especially during the last few days of her life, her thoughts seemed to be sellers refused, and no sales were reported-sel- taken up more with sympathy for her sister, than by her own sufferings. Three months be-fore her death, Miss Julia Mandeville had met a serious accident, which laid ner on her bed, never to leave it again till carried to the grave. During that period, her sister, Miss Mary Mandeville, had watched by her, day and night, without intermission, and to her all the earthly anxieties of the sufferer were directed. She was always more anxious herself to see that sister take necessary food, than to receive herself the remedies which had been prescribed her. There was, in truth, an incessant strife of self-forgetting love between the two, unabated by the fa- into Salt Lake and establishing a military tigues of the nurse on the one hand, and the government there, and overthrowing the pre- it was lost. bodily distress of the patient on the other. the last agony was drawing on, the sufferer remarked, "This pain is death; but, dear sister Mary has seen me low so often she does not realize it!" of the same sisterly affection, she looked at him.

> she said most tenderly. "I see you yet;" as though that sister were the last person she wish-Her views about her own spiritual state and think I am going home; and you now see what the grace of God can do in a dying hour" At another time, towards daybreak, she inquired it it was raining, and being answered in the affir mative, she said, "What a bright and glorious morning it will be in heaven with Jesus! On what glory ! Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard nor the heart of man conceived: A female friend coming in and asking her if her Saviour was with her, she answered, "O, yes; precious

average of last week, although sales were made | When the same friend said, "You are going home, are you not ?" "O, yes," was the reply "to be with Jesus," She added, "There is noth ing but peace " After sundry messages of unquenchable love. mand, has caused an improvement in prices, and as she expressed it, to Miss Winter, Mrs. Alexthe sales to-day were made at \$60\$6.50 per ander, Mrs. Syle, and other friends, she seemed to sink into silent prayer, interrupted occasion-SHEER.—Sheep are in moderate supply, but ally by ejaculations such as "Jesus my Rock; or the prices are unchanged, and we continue to quote have as a supply of the prices are unchanged. Thanks be to God, who giveth us the victory through Our Lord Jesus Christ." During al this, she had been raised up in her bed. She was now laid down at her request, and soon fell into a quiet slumber, like the sleep of a peaceful

many hours after, never woke again, till she woke in heaven. We congratulate her happy spirit on its release from the infirmities and sufferings of this | DUFFEY. (the present incumbent.) Commissioner mortal state, and we cender praises to that Divine Redeemer, who thus made her more than conqueror over the King of terrors; and who is The futhful and impartial manner in which he supply of money continues abundant on first ready to do the same for the friends who must discharged his duty, will recommend him to class paper and acceptable collaterals at 10@12 follow her; carrying them, as he carried her, in the entire people. light and triumph through the dark valley, and granting them a blissful re-union in his holy presence. - Southern Churchman.

Digo, On Monday, 4th of January, at Fleet those circumstances which will make the move- ces B Gibson, Mrs. LOUISA MUSCHETT, consort of the late Dr. Alexander Muschett, of Pr.

DIED, At the College of St. James, on Saturday night last, THOS. MATTHEWS, youngest son of the late Gen. John Matthews, of Charles county, Maryland, in the 19th year of

his age. DIED, On the 3d inst, at her residence in Pomonkey, Md., Mrs. JANE YATES, in the 92d

Digg, In Nanjemoy, Md., on Wednesday, the 30th of December, Mrs. MARY A. BOWIE, wife of Thomas E. Bowie, after a short but painful iliness of a few hours.

In Washington, on the 20th instant, aged 31, JULIA STOCKTON, wife of John Calvert, and daughter of the Hon. Richard Rush, of Phila-

COMBS. &c .- Combs of all descriptions; Brushes, in great variety; Soaps, Extracts, Perfumeries, Hair Tonics, Writing Desks, Work lot of CLOAKS, and being desirous of Boxes, Cabas, Porte Monaies, Card Cases, and closing out the lot, they will be sold very cheap; lots of notions on hand, and for s le cheap, at H B. WHITTINGTON'S. No. 82, King-street.

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DANIEL F. HOOE.

jan 20

By Yesterday Evening's Mails.

THE EQUESTRIAN STATUS OF WASHINGTON SAFE ON ITS PEDESTAL -- It gives us inexpressible pleasure to announce that yesterday, in the presence of thousands of citizens ral Francis M. Boykin, of the eighth brigade of our own and other States, Crawford's now in the northern part of the State, look- ted to its summit | edestal on the Monument. For two hours it hung, beautifully poised above the the Monument-the effect being most grand. About 5 P. M., the Statue was lowered on the pedestal, and now remains As Georgetown has made its usual annual safely supported on strong beams across openings, for the securing bolts will be properly fitted, and the Statue firmly fixed on its basis. We cordially congratulate Captain tion, the people of Virginia, and the world, upon the successful elevation of this great work of art. As we write we hear the ju-

The statue is still clothed in its canvass wrappings. After it shall be uncovered, on keep up the Bridge. I understand that peti- the 22d February, we shall express our opintions to this effect, expressing the sentiments | ion of it as a work of art. We cannot forof the citizens of the country, in Loudoun, bear from saying, that even in its canvass covering, there is a spirit and life about the group which bespeak a masterly triumph of genius .- Richmond Enquirer.

FIRE AT WHITE HALL -N. D. Keneaster. of White Hall, in this county, recently met with a severe loss by fire. On the morning of the 14th inst., about 5 o'clock, his store- Railroad came up. house, ware-house and saddlery-shop took fire, it is supposed, from sparks from a chimney, difficulty saved. He had but a small insu- the extinction of the principal. N. Haskell, JAMES L. GRAY, esq. of Texas, rance on the property, and his loss will probto Miss CATHERINE CLEPHANE, of Wash- ably be \$5,000. No insurance on his sadably be \$5,000. No insurance on his saddlery shop or stock, which was extensive .-Having received his winter goods but recently, this calamity falls heavily upon Mr. tute for his own. It reads as follows: Keneaster, who has been confined to his room since the 6th of this month, and only

quier County, Va., to Mrs. M. N. COAL, of the February at Richmond.—We would suggest terest due to the State, and falling due upon are all of the same import. I say sudden to all associations, desiring to take part in the celebration, to report themselves promptly to Major General Taliaferro, who has been selected as Chief Marshal of the day, so that he may assign them positions in the proces-

HEAD QUARTERS FOURTH DIVISION OF I VIRGINIA MILITIA.

RICHMOND, Jan. 18,1858. General Orders, No. 2 .- It being essential for the purpose of necessary arrangements, and proper organization, officers commanding troops which expect to take part in the ceremonies of the erection of the Equestrian Statue of Washington, on the 22d of February next, will report to this office, as specially as practicable, the name, strength and arm of their respective commands, the time at which they will reach Riehmond,

By order of Maj. Gen. Wm. B. TALLAFERRO.

Division among the Mormons. The Leavenworth City Ledger of the 18th inst., says that three young men Henry Baker, James Smith and Alexander Francis arrived there on Thursday afternoon, the 7th, direct from Fort Bridger. They came the whole distance, twelve hundred miles, on foot, and accomplished the whole in forty-five days. They report that the day they left, six Mormons came into camp, and reported war, Brigham Young and about one balf desiring to march against the troops coming stitute the "Coquette."

# Devon Cattle.

sent newers that he | Very doubtful.

The superior herd of Devons, says the Richmond Dispatch, exhibited at our late State Fair, by Capt. H. J. Strandberg, of Maryland, attracted general admiration, and received, as they deserved, some of the first premiums. We are gratified to learn that most of his young stock was disposed of to citizens of Virginia. The first prize animal, Purser, t. Mr. S. Cole; the splendid bull-calf, the beautiful heifers Daisy and Virginia, to Mr. S. S Bradford, of Culpeper; three heifers to Mr. Wm. Major, of Culpeper, and several superior animals to other gentlemen. The Mr. Kemble, the House adjourned. Captain intends to visit the next Fair wim a erd of fine Devons.

## ALMANAC. SUNSUN JANUARY. rises, sets. Moon's Phases.

23 Saturday... 7 3 4 57 Sunday.... 7 2 4 58 Full..... 15 0 22 M Monday... 7 14 59 Last qr. 6 7 36 a. Tuesday.... 7 0.5 00 New....13 5 2 K. Wednesday 6 59 5 1 First it 20 7 48 E 28 Thursday. 6 53 5 2 HIGH WATER. 29 Friday .... 6 57 5 3 Jan'r. 23 0h 52m

LATEST DATES.

London Jan 2 Havre Liverpool Jan 2 New Orleans LT A CARD .- "Six Richmonds are there in the field, four have I already slain. A horse, a horse, my kingdom for a horse." "If you can't

give me a horse, give me a jackass To the Voters of Alexandria - In presenting myself before you for re-election to the office of Superintendent of Police, at my own solicitation, it tavored by your support. I promise that you will have to pay your taxes. Thankful tor past favors, I solicit your support. jan 23-3t\* W. L. PENN.

ILT REWARD MERIT .- MAJOR GEORGE of Revenue, is respectfully presented to the voters of Alexandria County, for re-election. NO WOOLING

LOT JOHN AMBLER respectfully announces himself as a candidate for the office of Clerk of the County Court of Fauquier Markham Station, Fauquier Co., jan 8-eot E

TO THE VOTERS OF FAUQUIER COUNTY -Fellow citizens :- I am before you as a candidate for the Commissioner of the Revenue, for the North Eastern District and respectfully ask JAMES ROWZEE. your support. Fauquier, nov 19-eoff

FOR BALTIMORE.-The packet schr. H. and J. NEILD, Jones, master, will sail for the above port, on Thursday, 28th instant. For freight, apply to S SHINN. No. 4. South Wharves.

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LARGE and well selected stock of Drugs, Chemicals, and Pertumes, on hand and for by J. WILLIAM BOWLING, andria Apply at this office. jan 21-eo3t corner of Fairfax and Prince sts, LCOHO!., Camphene, Spirits Turpentine, FRAME WAREHOUSE, gravel roof, on ed obedience. Yours, truly, J. B. HUNTER. dec 16 and Ethereal Oil, for sale at the lowest | Water street, between Prince and King streets, H. COOK & CO., Sarepta Hall. is for rent, low.

WM. LAYNE.

Virginia Legislature.

In the Senate, on Thursday, a communication was received from the Executive, an- having adjourned on Thursday until Monday, already announced for the office of Superinnouncing the resignation of Brigadier Gene-

Virginia Militia. Bills were reported, amending section 11 of act passed March 1, 1856; Amending section 20, chapter 88, so as more fully to define the duties and rights of inspectors of flour; Amending certain acts so as to forbid County Courts to grant corporate powers; Amending the Code so as to make the crime confinement in the penitentiary.

The Committee of Finance reported addrafts of the Board of Public Works, which were received by them for labor on public works.

Tennessee Railroad Company may pay the arrearage of interest due and accruing on the loan or loans by the State to the said Company in equal annual instalments, comprising interest upon the postponed pay-By Mr. Deneale, of increasing the ments. vote of the State in works of internal improvement so as to correspond more nearly to her interest in said works.

The bill for the relief of the South-Side

Mr. Campbell offered an amendment to the bill funding the debt, the State to reand were all consumed, together with his ceive the stock of the company to the amount merchandise, tools and stabling. His two of the debt, on which the company is to pay dwellings not far distant were with great 3 per cent, interest, and 1 of 1 per cent, for Mr. Rives offered a substitute for Mr. C.'s

amendment. Mr. Stuart offered an amendment, which was accepted by Mr. Campbell, as a substi-

Be it enacted by the General Assembly, That the Board of Public Works are hereby able to move about upon crutches .- Winches authorized and required (should the South Side Railroad Company elect so to pay the Commissioners of the Revenue for this County; same) to receive from the South Side THE CELEBRATION ON THE TWENTY SECOND road Company payment of the arrears of in-July 1, 1858, inclusive, in 15 years from sprung upon the County, because as far as I can and after the said 1st July, 1858, payable in equal semi-annual instalments, on the 1st of July and 1st of January of each year, with interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, upon so much of said arrear of int-rest as shall remain unpaid upon the said 1st of January and 1st of July of each year. Provided that nothing in this act is in any way to be construed as in any wise affecting

> vided by law, and the terms of said law. net revenue of said company shall amount taching their signature to the remonstrance, with to 25 per cent, on the sum of \$167,000, then reasons for so doing. I do not partake of their the said company shall increase its ayments surprise myself, although I was quite as igno into the treasury of the State by the sum of

the interest on said loan of \$800,000 which

by the 1st section of this act. WM. MUNICIPO, Major and Aid-de-Camp. amendment to Mr. Stuart's, and resulted in its defeat-ayes 19, nays 21. The vote was then taken on Mr. Stuart's

substitute, which was adopted. The bill relating to the re-organization of the Public Guard was taken up, and so amended by Mr. August as to provide for the retention of the present officers, and Visitors.

The bill providing for the purchase of that the Mormons were in a state of civil Barbee's "Young Republican" being up on its second reading; Mr. White moved to sub-

The vote was taken on the substitute, and

In the House of Delegates, a bill was reported, authorizing the election of two Commissioners of the Revenue for the county of Fairfax.

On motion of Mr. Sweeney, the bill from the Senate, providing for an increase of jailors' fees for keeping and supporting prisoners, was taken up, and the pending amendments being withdrawn, was passed-yeas 101, nays 20.

On motion of Mr. McCue, an engrossed mines, was taken up.

Pending its consideration, on motion of

ORE NEW BOOKS .- Bayard Taylor's New Books.—Northern Travel, Summer Winter Pictures of Sweden, Denmark, and Lapland, by Bayard Taylor, one volume, 12mo.

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BENJAMIN BARTON,

jan 15-eost EMOVAL .- The office of the Albemarle 25 days-which it was my misfortune to give Insurance Company has been removed to to the people. I am to be arraigned and testified 57 and 59, King-street, (late Banking House of Fowle, Snowden & Co.) where they are prepared to extend their business.

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duties of this School will recommence on iay, February 1st. As the number of pupils is very limited, early application will be ne-

cessary. Address
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The Senate was not in session yesterday,

continuance of the sound dues.

Mr. Zollicoffer offered a resolution, which was objected to, requesting that information of the Revenue and Sheriff does not take be furnished the House by the President as place until next May. The election for Suof harboring a runaway slave punishable by to the origin of the difficulties and the milita- perintendent of Police, and other municipal ry expedition of Utah; and that all the cor- officers, takes place in March. versely to remunerating contractors on works respondence on that subject, as to the numof internal-improvement for losses sustained ber of troops employed, and how far Brigham by the depreciation of bonds or certified Young and his followers are in a state of rebellion, be furnished.

Mr. Bishop moved that when the House Resolutions of inquiry were offered by Mr. a ljourn, it adjourn until Monday. Mr. Jones Flood, of providing that the Virginia and of Tennessee, opposed the motion and said that if the custom of adjourning over every Saturday be adopted, the time of the session will be consumed, the private business neglected, or crowded into the latter part of the session, and then hurried over without consideration; and the country will be plundered as has heretofore been the case.

The motion was finally lost-yeas 74, nays

Various private bills were reported, and disposed of. Mr. Grow introduced a bill to provide for the settlement of claims of revolutionay sol-

the service. The House went into Committee of the Whole, and took up the consideration of reports from the Court of Claims.

CARD - FAIRTAX COUNTY, JANUARY A 18, 1858 -Allow me to refer brief brough your paper to the tenor of a poti-House, asking the Legislature to appoint two there may be others sprang thus suddenly upo learn there has been no mention made, no agitation of such a project, in any part of the coun ty, and in offering a counter memorial the con urrent testimony of persons from all parts he county, so far as I made enquiry, went to confirm the belief that the people of the differ ent neighborhoods from which they came, not nly wanted no change, but had never hear at any change was contemplated, and a vast number of them expressed surprise to have to combat such an unnecessary undertakingmay accrue after 1st of July, 1858, but the while others who had been induced to sign the same shall be paid in the manner now pro- petition, declared they had supposed it was go ten up at my instance, as desiring assistance Provided, further, That when soever the and some even went so far as to sign off by at rant as many others, of the design; nor do l 25 per cent, upon the instalments required know who are the instigators of it; it is enough for me to know that these attacks have been re-The question came up on Mr. Rives' peated so trequently that I have become accustomed to them; and viewing this one as a sort of pugnacious out bir h of that same spirit of persecution and proscription whose periodical deept is marked with the certainty of the dogstar in Summer, and whose hideous determity is shrouded in the gory habiliments of death it elt. I shall, as heretofore, hand it over, with officers subject to a vote of the Board of a not to them, altogether acceptable. But the on the place, with five hundred young trees.my delinquency as to the details of my official luties, makes the sweeping allegation that the address the subscriber, Lees' Station, Fairfax luties of the office have not been performed within the time prescribed by law. This, I be-

its hostile progenitors, to the people at the polls, where one would suppose they had already been hereafter making the appointment of the answered in language altogether unmistakable, petition without attempting to impute to me lieve, was the tenor of the petition. Now the luties of the office are so manifold, that it is difcult to say what is exactly meant by the lanthat the most essential, most important and crowning duty of a Commissioner is, fairly and onestly to list the Real and Personal Property of the tax-payer, to have examined. Certified and sealed the books containing that property. and to forward the same to the Auditor of Public Accounts, before the 1st day of August. Now et any one go to the Clerk's Office and he will see that these books were so prepared, examined, and certified on the 10th day of July, and they were sealed and sent by mail to Richmond Henry Clay, from his prize cow Matilda, and bill to authorize the Dora coal and from min- on the 11th day of July, 1857. Now I ask ing company to construct a Railroad to its it this altegation is justified by the facts?-Here is certainly the all-important, all absorbing duty, performed not only in time but in good time. So far as the Clerk's and Sheriff's books are concerned,—which were \$\frac{1}{2}\] (10) REWARD.—Ranaway from the Sheriff's books are concerned,—which were put into their hands also on the 11th July I will admit they were not returned as early as the law requires-although they could ZO MATTINGLY AND WILLIAM KEY .which did, as was the case the year previous, di- near his left temple, over an inch long. The rect the Commissioner to assess the County tax latter, is about twenty-one years old, about five such order who could have been injured? The ly white, is of a yellowish cast. When they handed much later, has never complained, nor all of their clothes, of any value, with them. more particularly at and after the return of the in the State, and delivered to me, or secured in

Auditor's book, and only before for the purpose jail, so that I get them again.

WALTER A. HAISLIP. and all know that the greater the delay in putting the Sheriff's books into his hands, the for him and for the people also, since the earlier they are turnished him the earlier he must demand the taxes, when a little indulgence to those persons whe find it difficult to pay their taxes early, might enable them to meet more promptly the demands of the Sheriff for taxes. which have almost become an excessive burthen to us all;-and for this slight indulgence from the 15th June to 10th of July-about o by all the petitioners that may be induced to put their names to the paper, that I have not the time prescribed by law-and they actually ask an additional Commissioner in order to LAND: Agent. press themselves and their fellow countymen to pay their taxes earlier, still earlier. The petiion means this if it means any thing-because it Richmond in time, and it can't allude to the Clerk's books because they are of little use to any one, even as a matter of reference, until the Sheriff gets his book; therefore it must mean the Sheriff's book. But suppose two Commissionlier is secured, (which if it were really desired within the time prescribed by law) is it likely that the duties of the office would be better per ent districts, with different standards of assess ment, in ignorance necessarily of the people and of their property generally, in ignorance of the revenue laws, and the complex and difficult duties growing out of them; laws so frequently altered, modified and amended that nother experience or expertness can keep pace with them; I say would these duties, under the circumstances, better performed than they are at present!foreover, will the compensation, now sufficient o justify one person in giving his entire attenion to the business, afford, when divided, a sufficient support for two? Then again, as the ompensation is based upon a per centage upon the amount of taxes raised if within a few years, as in all probability will be the case, the taxes shall be reduced by the same gradation by which they were increased, will not their compensation have to be increased. These are ques ous the solution of which rests with the people themselves, and to whatever conclusion they WAREHOUSE FOR RENT -The may arrive, to that I shall submit with unreserv-

Commissioner of Revenue Fairfax Co., jan 23-1t

LOCAL ITEMS.

CANDIDATES. - Nine candidates have been In the House of Representatives a com- tendent of Police, of this city; and we have munication was received from the Depart- heard of three more, who will be "out" bement of State recommending that an appre- fore the election. For the office of Commispriation be made to pay interest on the sum sioner of the Revenue, three candidates are dants. I shall, on Thursday, the 25th day agreed to be paid to Denmark for the dis- announced, and there will be two or three February next, sell at public auction, on more. For Speriff, there are so far but two candidates. The election for Commissioner

SINGULAR VISITOR .- On Monday, a perturb-

ed looking individual made his appearance in

the Capital rotunds, and inquired anxiously for Judge Douglas, with whom, he said, he had business of importance that would not admit of delay. His language at first was sufficiently coherent to induce the officer on question or two addressed to the anxious man, showed him to be as "mad as a March Ferdinand, and, though at present residing in the fishy-town of Alexandria, he was of royal blood, and was a lineal descendant from that Ferdinaed of Spain who had some-thing to do with the discovery of America. But this had nothing to do with his mission, which was to inform Judge D. of a great national calamity now impending; and which, in his opinion, "the Little Giant" was the only man able to avert. He was in possession diers, and the widows of those who died in of reliable information that a frightful war was about to break out between Russia and the United States. He knew it, because he had seen blood on the beak of the American eagle and had come up from Alexandria by the first beat that morning to sound the alarm. The officer assured him that Uncle Samuel and the Russian Bear were on the friendliest terms, and after which he escorted the descendant of King Ferdinand to the Capitol gate, and started him on his return trip to Alexandria .- Wash Star.

W ARRENTON HOUSE.—The undersigned takes great pleasure in informing his many friends and acquaintances both far and near that he has taken sole charge of this well known HOTEL and is now prepared to give to every one who may chose to call, accommoda ions of the very be-t kind. He has engaged as an assistant the services of Mr. Hugh T Kemper who is known to the community as a gentleman admirably qualified for the position. A most excellent and convenient BAR is attach ed to the House, where superior Ligrous and SEGARS will be kept at all times The Warrenrenton House is situated in the centre of the town, on main street, and thereby entirely convenient to all. Porters will be at the cars more ing and evening to escort passengers up. The Proprietor hopes that his triends will not forget him and and feels confident that he can give satisiaction to all who may sejourn with him. JAMES DESHIELDS.

Warrenton, Va., Jan 14-eo2m LAIRFAN FARM FOR SALE.-Intending to remove to the South, I will sell my FARM in Fairtax County, near Lees' Station, about tourteen miles from Alexandria, containing about THREE HUNDRED ACRES, one undred cleared, about fifty acres in clover, balance heavily timbered. HOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE, FARMing Utensils, Stock, Provisions, &c., &c., indeed everything necessary for any one wishing to buy a home. There is a fine young ORCHARD Application may be made to W. H. MAR-County, Virginia, H. M. SIMPSON.

Fairlax County, Va., jan 9-eo m TITHE SUBSCRIBER wishing to return South | Court House, on Monday, the 15th of next month offers for sale the place upon which he resides, consisting of TWENTY AND A HALF TRACT OF LAND, lying in sight of, and only ACRES, situated in Fairtax County, upon the two miles from, Amherst Court House. Within old Leesburg Road, which separates it from the 400 yards of the Court House, there is a Cort grounds of the Theological Seminary.

The DWELLING is a two story frame kitchen, storeroom, and pantry. A well of excellent water at the door.

Its proximity to Alexandria, and the neighborgood affording the best society, makes it desirable, if only for a Summer residence. &c., apply either through the Seminary Post

Office, or upon the premises, to Fairfax Co., jy 27-eotf A. C. N. SMETS. County, Md, on the night of the 7th inst., TWO NEGRO MEN, who call themselves LORENbeen delivered the very day the law re- The former is about twenty-eight years old, six quired, but for the expected order of June Court, feet high, of a light coffee color, and has a scar on his books, and which was a good cause for | feet ten inches high; very black, when spoken to worthy clerk, to whom the books have been left they had on Virginia full cloth, but took could the books have been actually needed in | The above reward of \$50 each, will be given, it

> Doncaster P. O., Charles Co., Md., jan 16-eotf S50 REWARD.—Ranaway from the tarm of the subscriber, near Centreville, Fairfax County, Va., on the night of 5th instant, negro woman HARRIET, about 35 years of age, black, 5 feet 3 or 4 inches high, and toleraiy likely. She was purchased by me of Messrs. Dickinson & Hill, in Richmond, and formerly came from King George County. I will give he above reward if returned to me, or secured so that I can get her. A. S. GRIGSBY.

Fairfax County, Va., nov 28-eotf VERY DESIRABLE REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE.—The subscriber havperformed my duties as Commissioner within ling determined to change his location, offers for sale the following LOTS OR PARCELS OF

FIFTY ACRES, situated at the junction of the live miles distant from Alexandria; which Alexandria Turnpike and the Georgetown dirt | place can be reached in two hours on the Cars. don't mean that the Auditor's books were not in road, 141 miles from Alexandria, and 10 from Georgetown. The buildings are a comfortable DWELLING HOUSE, with Barn and all —about four hundred of which are in Wood and timber. The balance is cleared, and divided inand Timber, and well watered.

> QUARTER ACRES, lies on and binds with Estate from West to East, bordering on which the road leading from Fairtax C. H. to Falls is a beautiful Meadow of one hundred acres, now Church 21 miles from the former place. The well taken in Timothy and blue grass, and not land is of excellent quality, and has on it a only valuable as a Meadow, but highly useful for grazing purposes. The uplands are rolling and susceptible of any degree of improvement. quality, and the land is well watered

> No. 3. Containing THIRTY ACRES, chiefly in Wood and unimproved. It lies about a mile cious rooms, four above and three below stair east of Hunter's Mill; a fine location, and well and the necessary out-houses. Surrounding the watered.

I will take cost for No. 1; the Assessor's valuation for No. 2, and \$20 an acre for No. 3. IRA WILLIAMS.

FOR SALE,—The HOUSE AND LOT in the village of Millwood, Clarke county, , formerly the residence of Dr. Robt H. Little, on reasonable terms. It is one of the most desirable in the place, either for a private residence, or for a public house, there being none in the place. Any one wishing to purchase, by writing to me, at Salem, P. O. Fauquier Co. Va., will be promptly replied to

K. L. HORNER. Salem. Fauquier Co., Va., dec 22-eotf

Old OF PENNYROYAL, Juniper, Lavender, Rosemary, Spearmint, Bergamot, Verbena and Lemon. for sale by PEEL, STEVENS & CO.,

AUCTION SALES.

AND AND SLAVES FOR SALE-B I virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Prince William County, rendered on the 15th day of October, 1857, in a suit therein depe ing between A. Maddox's administrator, plain tiff, and Thomas S. Maddox, and others, delenpremises, to the highest bidder, a TRACT OF LAND, situated on Powell's Run, in Prince William County, containing TWO HUNDRED AND NINETY-TWO ACRES, on which Rebert G. Maddox now resides. This land has an abundant supply of wood and timber, is well watered, and is in a good state for cultivation. The improvements are a comfortaoui-buildings At the same time, I shall also sell SEVEN SLAVES, likely and valuable, consisting of two MEN, one WOMAN, one

GIRL and three BOYS. TERMS OF SALE :- Ten per cent. of the pur hase money of the land, to be paid down in cash, the balance payable in three equal instalments, with interest, at six, twelve, and eighteen months, from the day o' sale, the purchaser to duty to lend an ear to the inquiry; but a give bond with good personal security for the deferred payments, and the title to be intil the whole purchase money is paid. The Slaves will be sold on a credit of six months, nare." He proclaimed that his name was the purchasers giving bonds, bearing interest from the date, with approved personal security M B. SINCLAIR, Commissioner

Prince William Co., Va., jan 23-eots BY S. J. McCORMICK - AUCTIONEER.

TEAL ESTATE AT AUCTION .- Ou Thursday, the 14th day of January, 1868, at 12 o'clock, M., will be offered for sale, on the premises the extensive establishment on the corner of Queen and St. Asaph streets, in this city

known as the "ALEXANDRIA ACADEMY"—
The buildings are all of brick, three stories in height, with basements, of best material and workmanship; are fully supplied with gas arwater, and thoroughly heated by thues were built expressly for an extensive Boarding School, and are admirably adapted for that purpose; but admit, with a moderate outlay. a change into three commodious Dwellings. For further particulars, apply, prior to the ale, to ROBERT BROCKETT. sale, to

Terms at sale. dec 15-2awts The above sale is postponed to Thursday. the 18th day of February, at same place and hour ROBT, BROCKETT ian 14-2awts

TOMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE STEAM SAW-MILL. &c.—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court, for the county of Fairfax, made at its November term, 1857, in the case of William J. Hall, and others, agains Jacob M. Holsapple's administrator, and oth ers, I shall sell, at public auction, at Fairfax Court House, on Monday, the 15th day of Februry, 1858, (that being Court day,) the following described property -A lot of LAND, contain ing TWO ACRES, more or less, within a few rods of the Orange and Alexandria Railroad near Burke's Station, in the county of Fairfax, upon which has been recently erected a STEAM SAW-MILL, of 20-horse-power, with two BOILERS; one up-and-down SAW; Patent CORN-MILL, and fixtures, all new and in complete order. The neighborhood is thickly settled, so as to make sawing and grinding a prontable business-besides the advantage of being within 14 miles of Alexandria by Railroad.

TERMS OF SALE -One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid in cash, at the time of salethe residue in three equal payments, at six, twelve, and eighteen months, with interest from the day of sale, with approved personal security -the title to be retained, and the property lia ble to be resold upon default in the the deferred payments, or either of them. Dr. William M. Holsapple, residing near the

premises, will show the property to any one who may be desirous of purchasing. Sale to take place between 11 and 3 o'clock. THOS, R. LOVE, Comm't

Fairfax county, jan 16-eots A UCTION SALE OF A VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND, ON LINE OF RAILROAD.—I will offer for sale, at Amherst and Flour Mill, at which there will be a depo of the Orange and Alexandria Railroad Co building, (completed in the Fall of 1856.) pany. It is calculated that the road will be in

ontaining five good sized rooms, exclusive of running order the latter part of the present year. The Tract contains 328 ACRES: is well was tered; about 20 acres flats, that are very fertile lies well; and I suppose 140 to 150 acres

It is believed that Ties enough could be gotten Possession given immediately. For terms, from the land, with the lops of trees converted into wood, for the Railroad, to pay at least \$2,000, without injury to the land. Except some 10 to 15 acres, the whole of the woodlarwould produce fine Tobacco.

The land can be had at private sale, and i sold before auction day, notice will be given. Terms made known on day of sale, or before by application to Mr. Joseph Pettijohn, hving near Amherst Court House, or to the subscriber residing at Richmond, Va. GEO. W. DONNAN

Richmond, Va., jan 14-wts

DESIRABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE --On Monday, the 22d of February next. (Cont.) day.) will be offered at Public Sale, at Warren ton, if not previously sold, the FARMERS HOTEL, on terms to enable the purchaser with proper management, to pay for it, out of the Office, since they are but a record useful taken out of the State, and \$25 each, if taken the profits of the House, to wit in payments of

1. 2 3. and 4 years This well-known Hotel is capable, in the hands of a good landlord, of drawing, as it ha heretofore done, a large and profitable custom Adjoining the public buildings, it is most con venient for transient visitors to the Court House of the large and populous county of Fauquier The BRICK BUILDING, containing six good rooms, opposite this Hotel, and which

can be conveniently used in connection with it, Persons wishing to purchase will apply to the indersigned. JOHN Q. MARR. undersigned. Warrenton, jan 18-eo2w

M EADOW FARM FOR SALE.—I offer at Private Sale, my FARM lying in the County of Prince William, adjoining the land of Judge Tyler, and immediately on the Turnpike Road leading from Alexandria to Warren ton, and two and a half miles from Gainesville Lot No. 1. Containing between FORTY AND a Depot on the Manassas Gap Railroad, thir

This Estate contains NINE HUNDRED AND FORTY-ONE AND A HALF ACRES office with two rooms, all new; plenty of Wood to nine Fields, all of them well watered by last ing Springs. Broad Run-a large and never No. 2. Containing SIXTY-TWO AND THREE failing mountain stream-passes through the

The improvements are a large and com-modious DWELLING, with seven spayard is a large and flourishing Orchard of Apples, Pears, Peaches, Cherries, Apricots, &c., of the finest varieties, and many of them in full bearing. Country Stores are numerous and con-Peach Grove, Fairfax Co., Va , sep 28-lawtf | venient. The neighborhood is unsurpassed by any in the State for health, and affords the best Society. Those wishing to purchase a fine country residence, will do well to call and examin-

> For further information, address Judge Z Collins Lee, Baltimore, Md, or the subscriber, DR JAS. W. F. MACRAE. Buckland, Pr. Wm. Co., Va., ap 14-eoti

\$8000 ORANGE AND ALEXANfor sale at lowest market rates.

dec 30-tf CORSE BROTHERS.

dec 30-tf CENTLEMEN'S SHAWLS.—BRYAN, ADAMS & CO., have received another lot of those very desirable MAUD SHAWLS,

jan 18 corner of Alfred and King streets. Which they are selling at low prices, nov 11